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<b>In re Application of:</b>	)	
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<b>Wm. A. KNAUS et al.</b>	)	<b>Group Art Unit: 3626</b>
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<b>Application No: 09/822,261</b>	)	<b>Examiner: Lena Najarian</b>
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<b>Filed: March 26, 2001</b>	)	
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<b>Title: BROADBAND COMPUTER-BASED NETWORKED SYSTEMS FOR</b>		
<b>CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF MEDICAL RECORDS</b>		

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**REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING**

Sir:

In support of the Appeal Brief filed and dated October 30, 2006, with respect to the above-captioned patent application, Appellant respectfully requests an oral hearing. The requisite fee for the Oral Hearing is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
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